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Application of: Frank Worrell  
Serial No.: 09/726,144  
Title: SIMPLE BRANCH PREDICTION AND MISPREDICTION  
RECOVERY MECHANISM  
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Examiner: Gerstl, S.  
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In Response To: Office Action mailed October 2, 2003

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003  
please amend the above-identified application as follows: